

Docket No. 217 – Development and Management Plan Inspection

Northeast Utilities Service Company Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction of a 345-kV electric transmission line and reconstruction of an existing 115-kV electric transmission line between Connecticut Light and Power Company's Plumtree Substation in Bethel, through the towns of Redding, Weston, and Wilton, and to the Norwalk Substation in Norwalk, Connecticut.

Date: October 4, 2006

Inspector: Lee Curtis, Susan Infalt, BSC Group

Location: 115 kV Underground Route

Storm/

Rain Event: According to accuweather.com, 0.45" of rain were recorded on 10/1 and 0.25" were recorded on 10/4 (Data from NOAA is still incomplete).

Areas of Inspection	Observation	Recommended Action	Corrective Action
Active Work	- No active work noted at this time. 10/04/06	- None at this time. 10/04/06	N/A
Erosion and Sediment Controls Route 58 Rt. 107 (Lonetown Rd) Norwalk	- Good vegetative growth continues within the Sunset Hill Rd. area. 10/04/06 - The Redding CC storage area stone surface remains stable. Contractors will be providing some restoration here later this week. 10/04/06 -Minor silt fence debris is still noted along the bike path, under the restored soil areas. 9/13-10/04/06	- The entire area is now well restored and appears stable. Remove silt fence when feasible. 10/04/06 - Evaluate final restoration measures for this area based on landowner feedback. 6/1-10/04/06 -Previous efforts have been made to remove this but debris remains. 9/13-10/04/06	Area appears stable- silt fence should be removed Contractors are scheduled to restore the area this week. - Needs attention if feasible. (Aesthetic, not environmental issue)
Soils	-No soil jurisdictional to this project is being stored or removed. 10/04/06	- None. 10/04/06	N/A
Adjacent Wetlands and Waterways	-All resource areas in the vicinity of the project are in good shape. 10/04/06	- None. 10/04/06	N/A
	-Most storage areas are	It is our understanding it	- Evaluate Redding CC

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Staging, Storage, and Parking Areas	restored and returned to the original landowner with the exception of the Redding CC. 10/04/06	will be restored to original conditions this week. 10/04/06	area.
Vegetative clearing or stabilization	- Most areas have become stabilized with increased vegetative growth. 4/12-10/04/06. - The area adjacent to the bike path off Broad St is one remaining area that could use additional restoration. 10/4/06	-Roadside areas and restored storage area appear well vegetated and stable. 10/04/06. - Continue to restore/revegetate if feasible. 10/4/06	-N/A -Contractors are scheduled to reseed the area.
Dewatering	- Dewatering is no longer necessary at this time. 10/04/06	-None at this time. 10/04/06	-N/A
Spills and Material Storage	- Few, if any vehicles remain in this section of the project. 10/04/06	- Do not perform any refueling or equipment maintenance when wetlands or waterways are adjacent. 6/1-10/04/06	-N/A at this time
Additional Observations	- This section could be removed from the inspection route shortly 10/04/06		

Next likely scheduled inspection:

Friday October 13, 2006

I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted in this document and all attachments and certify that based on reasonable investigation, including my inquiry of those individuals responsible for obtaining the information, the submitted information is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and I understand that any false statements made in this document or its attachments may be punishable as a criminal offense in accordance with Section 22a-6 under Section 53a-157 of the Connecticut General Statutes.

Inspector's Signature:

Diana Walden for Lee Curtis, Susan Infalt, BSC Group